# EPICUREANISM

philosophy taught in academy
founded in Athens, 306 BC
by Athenian philosopher
Epicurus (341 - 270 BC)

Carthaginians defeated
AGATHOCLES, the tyrant of
Syracuse

306 BC

EPICURUS opens his school at
Athens

306 BC

342-270 BC   EPICUREAN School
Founded by EPICURUS (342-270 BC)
Born in SAMOS. His school was
opened in Athens 306 BC. The germ
of his system was that pleasure
is the only end of rational action
and that freedom is the ultimate
pleasure.